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Plaintiffs—Appellees,

versus

GREG ABBOTT, in his official capacity as Governor of the State of Texas; CECILE ERWIN YOUNG, in her official capacity as Executive Commissioner of the Health and Human Services Commission of the State of Texas; STEPHANIE MUTH, in her official capacity as Commissioner of Texas Department of Family and Protective Services,

Defendants—Appellants.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas USDC No. 2:11-CV-84

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ORDER:

IT IS ORDERED that the Opposed Motion of Foster Care Advocacy Center, National Disability Rights Network and Texas State Employees Union, for leave to file an amicus brief is DENIED.

EDITH H. JONES

United States Circuit Judge